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CATEGORY: COMMUNITY SERVICES

DATE	TIME	LEN	TIMES RUN	SOURCE/TYPE	TITLE/DESCRIPTION
10-12/97	VARIOUS	:30	5	LOCAL/PSA	CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES PSA CONCERNING HOMELESSNESS AND THE NEED FOR HELP - AS SEEN THROUGH THE EYES OF A CHILD.
12/97	VARIOUS	:30	9	LOCAL/PSA	CHICAGO COALITION FOR THE HOMELESS PSA CONVEYING AN EXTREMELY POWERFUL MESSAGE ABOUT THE PLIGHT OF HOMELESS PEOPLE IN CHICAGO AND URGING SUPPORT FOR THEIR SERVICES.
11-12/97	VARIOUS	:10 :15	283	LOCAL/PSA	WLS-TV PRODUCED PSA FOR THE GREATER CHICAGO FOOD DEPOSITORY FEATURING "MR. FOOD" URGING PEOPLE TO DROP OFF FOOD AT VARIOUS SITES TO HELP FEED THE HUNGRY THIS HOLIDAY SEASON.
10 & 12/97	VARIOUS	:30	7	LOCAL/PSA	ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT ON AGING PSA DETAILING THE MANY SERVICES PROVIDED TO SENIORS BY THE AGENCY.
12/97	VARIOUS	:30	2	LOCAL/PSA	PUBLIC ALLIES PSA PROVIDING A PHONE NUMBER TO CALL FOR DETAILS ON THE MANY COMMUNITY SERVICES THEY PROVIDE AND ASKING FOR SUPPORT.
12/97	VARIOUS	:30	16	LOCAL/PSA	SALVATION ARMY PSA ASKING FOR SUPPORT OF THEIR MANY COMMUNITY SERVICES, ESPECIALLY DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON.
12/97	VARIOUS	:30	5	LOCAL/PSA	U.S. MARINE CORPS PSA FOR THE "TOYS FOR TOTS" PROGRAM WHICH HELPS PROVIDE TOYS FOR NEEDY CHILDREN AT CHRISTMAS.

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12/97	VARIOUS	:60 :30	37	LOCAL/PSA	UNITED WAY / CRUSADE OF MERCY PSA'S URGING SUPPORT FOR THEIR ANNUAL FUND RAISING CAMPAIGN AND DETAILING THE MANY COMMUNITY SERVICES THEY PROVIDE.
10-12/97	VARIOUS	:10	9	LOCAL/PSA	OPERATION LIFESAVER PSA URGING PEOPLE NOT TO CROSS RAILROAD TRACKS AROUND CLOSED GATES AND BE MINDFUL AT GRADE CROSSINGS.
10/97	VARIOUS	:30	2	LOCAL/PSA	CHICAGO AREA BOY SCOUTS PSA REQUESTING SUPPORT FOR THEIR ANNUAL POPCORN SALE FUNDRAISING EVENT TO BENEFIT LOCAL TROOPS.

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CATEGORY:**COMMUNITY SERVICE****REGULAR ABC7 NEWS FEATURES**

WEEKENDER: On Fridays during the 4pm or 4:30pm show, Roz Varon brings us a sampling (approximately for 2 minutes) of things to do in the area over the weekend.

FIX-IT: Twice a month, Jim Rose produces and hosts handyman segment 8am Sundays, for 2 to 3 minutes.

Once a month on the 8am Sunday morning show, there is a 2- to 3-minute segment on home crafts.

Every Friday at 10pm, James Ward brings us his restaurant reviews for 1:30 to 2 minutes.

CHEZ JAMES: James Ward's 4- to 5-minute segment is on the Sunday morning 8am show once a month.

Periodically, Roger Ebert brings us movie reviews.

PERFECT PETS: Mike Caplan has a 2- to 3-minute "adopt-a-pet" segment in cooperation with the Anti-Cruelty Society on the Sunday 8am show once a month.

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10/13/97	4:30pm	1:57	Local/News	ABC7 News/Roz Varon did a live remote on how a Lake Shore Drive construction project will affect traffic flow.
10/17/97	4:30pm	1:45	Local/News	ABC7 News/Roz Varon reported on the traffic congestion people can expect for the Chicago Marathon, and on other weekend events.

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10/29/97	5pm	1:52	Local/News	ABC7 News/Phil Schwarz reported on a new device available which will warn people about all kinds of weather emergencies.
10/31/97	4:30,6pm	1:43	Local/News	ABC7 News/John Garcia provided Halloween safety tips.
11/6/97	4:30pm	1:45	Local/News	ABC7 News/Bob Petty reported on a new effort by the Better Business Bureau and other agencies to warn senior citizens about boiler room phone scam artists.
11/24/97	4pm	1:48	Local/News	ABC7 News/Phil Schwarz reported on ways the public can tell whether the Christmas lights and decorations they buy are safe, and the safe operation of those decorations and lights.
12/5/97	4pm	1:00	Local/News	ABC7 News/Cheryl Burton reported on one group's list of dangerous toys on store shelves.

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12/21/97	noon	22:46	PA	Sunday in Chicago w/Theresa Gutierrez This program centered around the National Conference of La Raza which had its annual convention here in Chicago. The Executive Director, Raul Yzaguirre, was the guest, and he talked about the Latino community nationally and what inroads and strides have been made in the past year. Social, health, media, economic, and immigration issues were discussed.

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11/26/97	4:30pm	1:08	Local/News	ABC7 News/Roz Varon reported on the road situation and holiday travel.
11/26	6pm	1:40	Local/News	ABC7 News/Kent Ninomiya reported on the holiday travel situation at Chicago's airports.
12/2/97	4:30pm	2:15	Local/News	ABC7 News/Roz Varon reported on plans to close several off ramps.

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10/9/97	5pm	1:40	Local/News	ABC7 News/Charles Thomas reported on the possibility that Jenner School would be closed due to gang gun fire in the neighborhood.
11/3/97	5pm	2:53	Local/News	ABC7 News/Charles Thomas reported on numerous incidents where people were robbed of their new Air Jordan shoes.
10/17/97	6pm	1:35	Local/News	ABC7 News/Harry Porterfield reported on extra security measures in place for tonight's high school football game in Gary, as a result of the murder last weekend at a football game.
10/17/97	4, 4:30pm	3:30	Local/News	ABC7 News/Charles Thomas reported on a crash near Aurora which killed three teenagers and a mother of three children. One of the drivers was drunk.

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12/97	VARIOUS	:30	13	LOCAL/PSA	U.S. DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION PSA'S FEATURING POWERFUL MESSAGES CONCERNING THE TRAGIC LOSS OF LOVED ONES TO DRUNK DRIVERS AND URGING PEOPLE NOT TO DRINK AND DRIVE.
10-12/97	VARIOUS	:10 :15 :30	38	LOCAL/PSA	SPOTS OF VARIOUS LENGTHS PRODUCED BY THE PARTNERSHIP FOR A DRUG FREE AMERICA DESIGNED TO INFORM ALL AGE GROUPS ABOUT THE DANGERS OF DRUGS.
10-12/97	VARIOUS	:30	285	LOCAL/PSA	PARTNERSHIP FOR A DRUG FREE ILLINOIS PSA'S PROVIDING INFORMATION ON THE DANGERS OF DRUGS.
11-12/97	VARIOUS	:30 :10	7	LOCAL/PSA	BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF AMERICA SPOTS URGING KIDS TO JOIN AND PARENTS TO SUPPORT THE CLUB THAT "BEATS THE STREETS" - ANTI GANG/DRUGS.
12/97	VARIOUS	:30	1	LOCAL/PSA	CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION SERVICES PSA PROVIDING INFORMATION ON THE PREVENTION OF CHILD ABUSE.
11/97	VARIOUS	:30	1	LOCAL/PSA	AMERICAN WOMEN IN RADIO & TELEVISION PSA DEPICTING A SCENE OF SEXUAL HARASSMENT AND PROVIDING INFORMATION ON HOW TO PREVENT IT IN THE WORKPLACE.
10-12/97	VARIOUS	:30	6	LOCAL/PSA	MOTHERS AGAINST DRUNK DRIVING PSA URGING PEOPLE NOT TO DRINK AND DRIVE.

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10/97	VARIOUS	:30	2	LOCAL/PSA	NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR THE PREVENTION OF CHILD ABUSE PSA PROVIDING INFORMATION ON THE PREVENTION OF CHILD ABUSE.

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10/5/97	8A	8 MIN	LOCAL/PA NEWS VIEWS	POLICE SUPT. MATT RODRIGUEZ REPORTS ON CRIME IN CHICAGO.
10/12/97	8A	8 MIN		OFFICER PAT HILL, PRESIDENT, AFRICAN-AMERICAN POLICE LEAGUE, EXPLAINS OPPOSITION TO CURRENT POLICE PROMOTIONS.
11/28/97	8A	8 MIN		BILL NOLAN, PRESIDENT, FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE, OPPOSES SO-CALLED MERIT PROMOTIONS, AND BACKS A CURRENT CHICAGO POLICE OFFICIAL TO BE NEW SUPT.

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11/18/97	10pm	7:08	Local/News	ABC7 News/Chuck Goudie reported on some police departments apparently violating federal and state regulations, misspending money confiscated from drug dealers.
11/19/97	10pm	7:43		
11/26/97	4:30pm	1:30	Local/News	ABC7 News/Bob Petty reported on the murder of a cab driver in Chicago.
12/9/97	4:30pm	2:30	Local/News	ABC7 News/Charles Thomas reported on the shooting of a Skokie woman on the Kennedy Expressway, after the man hijacked her car.
12/11/97	4:30pm	1:23	Local/News	ABC7 News/Dick Johnson reported on the roundup of crack dealers in Chicago and suburbs.
12/30/97	5pm	2:20	Local/News	ABC7 News/Theresa Gutierrez reported on the murder of community activist Arnold Mireles.

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CATEGORY:**ECONOMY/JOBS****REGULAR ABC 7 NEWS FEATURES**

DOLLAR SIGNS: Every weekday at 6pm we have approximately 1 minute of economic news.

GOOD BUYS: Every Wednesday on the 4pm news we air a 2-minute segment on places people can obtain good buys. The segment is repeated on Sunday mornings in the 8am segment.

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11/26/97	4:30pm	2:05	Local/News	ABC7 News/Jim Rosenfield reported on the many available jobs in retail stores for the holiday season, and on holiday shopping projections.
11/27/97	5pm	1:59	Local/News	ABC7 News/Beth Spicuzza reported on Thanksgiving Day holiday shopping, stating that some stores are open on Thanksgiving.
11/28/97	5pm	2:50	Local/News	ABC7 News/Roz Varon reported on Christmas shopping season officially under way at the suburban malls.

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11/28/97	5pm	2:05	Local/News	ABC7 News/Alan Krashesky reported at 5pm on how some suburban downtown shopping areas try to attract the holiday shopper.
11/28/97		1:35	Local/News	ABC7 News/Leah Hope reported on a gas war in a northwest suburb.
12/10/97	4pm	2:04	Local/News	ABC7 News/Linda Yu reported on the snow and shorter shopping season affecting holiday sales.
12/1/97	6pm	1:30	Local/News	ABC7 News/Mike Caplan reported on the closing soon of a small Evanston dime store because it can't get small wholesalers to service the store.

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12/28/97	12Noon	22:46	Local/PA

TITLE/DESCRIPTION

Sunday in Chicago w/Vernon Jarrett

Looking ahead to the Jobs outlook in the Chicago region, for 1998, were three local experts on economic issues: Paul Kleppner, Ph.D., Director of the Northern Illinois University Social Policy Research unit...Robert Wordlaw, Executive Director of the Chicago Jobs Council and James Lewis, Vice President of the Research and Planning unit of the Chicago Urban League

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12/28/97	12:30-1pm	30 min.	local/relig.	SANCTUARY/In this annual Top 10 Stories of the Year in Religion, topics such as welfare reform were discussed.

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CATEGORY: THE ECONOMY/JOB

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11/2/97	8 A	8 MIN	LOCAL/PA NEWS VIEWS	GREG MOUNT, OF FIRST CHICAGO NBD, & CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER JIM PLATANIA, DISCUSS STATE OF ECONOMY, & HOW PEOPLE SHOULD PREPARE FINANCIAL FOR THEIR FUTURES & FOR RETIREMENT.
12/14/97	8A	8 MIN		CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER BARBARA FOWLER, & CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELOR ARNETTA PULLIN TELL BORROWERS TO AVOID MORE THAN THREE CREDIT CARDS, TO PAY OFF MONTHLY BALANCES, & TO KEEP TRACK OF ALL CREDIT PURCHASES.

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The Economy/Jobs

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10/19/97 ^{11:30am}~~Noon~~ 30 min local/pa

Chicagoing with Bill Campbell
This program featured
the Hispanic Alliance for
Career Enhancement
H.A.C.E., its annual
Career Conference and its
25th anniversary.

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10-12/97	VARIOUS	:30	10	LOCAL/PSA	AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION PSA URGING CHILDREN TO GO TO THEIR LOCAL PUBLIC LIBRARY AND CHECK OUT BOOKS
11-12/97	VARIOUS	:30	18	LOCAL/PSA	CHICAGO PUBLIC LIBRARY PSA'S CONCERNING THE MANY INTERESTING AND INFORMATIVE BOOKS AVAILABLE AT THE LIBRARY.

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10/8/97	4:30pm	2:00	Local/News	ABC7 News/Dick Johnson reported on the controversy over a proposed change in policy for admittance to Chicago magnet schools.
10/21/97	5pm	2:19	Local/News	ABC7 News/Cheryl Burton reported on classes resuming at Lowell School in Chicago after having been extensively damaged by vandals.
10/29/97		2:05	Local/News	ABC7 News/Andy Shaw reported on a possible legislative deal to provide more funding for school districts.
10/31/97	6pm	1:40	Local/News	ABC7 News/Andy Shaw reported on a snag in the proposed legislative deal which would provide more funding for school districts.
11/3/97	5pm	1:45	Local/News	ABC7 News/Theresa Gutierrez reported on the upcoming Plainfield Schools referendum, a district in need of more money because of rapid growth.

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11/17/97	5pm	3:13	Local/News	ABC7 News/Andy Shaw did a follow-up on the defeat of the legislative funding package, and what it means for districts in need.
12/2/7	4:30pm	2:20	Local/News	ABC7 News/Andy Shaw reported on the special legislative session which approved a new school funding plan.

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CATEGORY: HEALTH CARE**REGULAR ABC7 NEWS FEATURES**

HEALTH BEAT: 2- to 3-minute segment in the 4:30pm weekday news that provides the major health and medical news of the day. Healthbeat highlights run on Sunday mornings between 8am and 10am.

WEEKEND WORKOUT WITH LARRY NASH: 2- to 3-minute workout segment during the 8am news Sundays, once a month.

WINDY CITY: John Garcia produces various workout topics, running for 2 to 3 minutes on Sundays in the 8am show, once a month.

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10/3/97	5pm	3:13	Local/News	ABC7 News/Kathy Brock did a piece on phone calls of concern to doctors' offices in light of the publicity about meningitis cases.
10/22/97	10pm	2:29	Local/News	ABC7 News: She's Having Our Baby, special segment/Linda Yu reported in a segment about surrogate mother situations.

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10/30 10/31	10pm	4:25 3:53	Local/News	ABC7 News: The Epidural Decision, special segment/Sylvia Perez reported on some issues involved and safety questions raised for mothers having the epidural prior to delivery.
11/11 11/12	10pm	4:35 4:51	Local/News	ABC7 News: The Juice on Juice, special segment/Alan Krashesky reported on the ingredients in various orange juice projects and how some ingredients may be harmful. The second segment reported on an orange juice taste test.
11/13 11/14	10pm	3:48 4:43	Local/News	ABC7 News: The New Shape of Liposuction, special segment/Sylvia Perez reported on a news technique used for liposuction and how patients can be sure they are getting the proper treatment.
11/19	4:30pm	2:10	Local/News	ABC7 News/Sylvia Perez reported on some of the medical aspects and risks of multiple births.

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10-12/97	VARIOUS	:30	3	LOCAL/PSA	ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION PSA PROVIDING INFORMATION ON THE SUPPORT SERVICES THEY PROVIDE.
10-12/97	VARIOUS	:60	62	LOCAL/PSA	COALITION ON DONATION PSA URGING PEOPLE TO BECOME ORGAN DONORS.
10-12/97	VARIOUS	:20	20	LOCAL/PSA	ELTON JOHN AIDS FOUNDATION URGING SUPPORT TO HELP FIND A CURE FOR AIDS.
10-12/97	VARIOUS	:60	17	LOCAL/PSA	LEUKEMIA SOCIETY PSA PROVIDING INFORMATION ON LEUKEMIA.
11/97	VARIOUS	:30	4	LOCAL/PSA	CHILDREN'S DEFENSE FUND PSA URGING PARENTS TO GET THEIR CHILDREN IMMUNIZED AGAINST CHILDHOOD DISEASES.
10-12/97	VARIOUS	:30 :10	7	LOCAL/PSA	STUTTERING FOUNDATION PSA PROVIDING INFORMATION ON WHERE TO GET HELP FOR STUTTERING.
10/97	VARIOUS	:10 :30	7	LOCAL/PSA	WLS-TV PRODUCED PSA FOR THE AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION "WALKTOBERFEST" EVENT TO HELP RAISE FUNDS FOR RESEARCH AND EDUCATION.
10/97	VARIOUS	:30 :10	122	LOCAL/PSA	WLS-TV PRODUCED PSA FOR THE MARCH OF DIMES "HEALTH BABY MONTH" CAMPAIGN.
12/97	VARIOUS	:30	1	LOCAL/PSA	AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY PSA PROVIDING FACTUAL INFORMATION ON CANCER AND PREVENTION.

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11-12/97	VARIOUS	:15	3	LOCAL/PSA	NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE PSA URGING WOMEN TO EXAMINE THEIR BREASTS FOR LUMPS AND GET A MAMMOGRAM.

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11/20	5pm	2:05	Local/News	ABC7 News/Theresa Gutierrez reported on a miracle baby which weighed 12 oz. at birth going home today.
11/21	4:30pm	1:38	Local/News	ABC7 News/Theresa Gutierrez reported on some of the aspects of caring for multiple-birth premature babies.
12/10	10pm	3:45	Local/News	ABC7 News/Sylvia Perez reported on stress relief for pregnancy mothers.
12/24	10pm	3:59	Local/News	ABC7 News/Sylvia Perez reported on humidifiers and health: some of the problems associated with humidifiers and what people can do to keep them clean.

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CATEGORY:**RACIAL ISSUES/MINORITIES/PREJUDICE****REGULAR ABC7 NEWS FEATURES:**

NEIGHBORHOODS: Monthly for the Sunday 6am news, Theresa Gutierrez produces a 2- to 3-minute segment on the various Chicago neighborhoods and their ethnic traditions.

In the 5:30am show on various weekday morning once or twice per week, Karen Meyer reports for approximately 2 minutes on stories about developmentally disabled people, the challenges they face, and ways in which to overcome these challenges.

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10/16	4pm	1:26	Local/News	ABC7 News/Kent Ninomiya reported on the question of the Chicago Police Department providing jobs for its disabled officers, similar to the plan for Officer James Mullen.
10/23/97	5pm	3:20	Local/News	ABC7 News/Leah Hope reported on local plans for women to travel to the Million Woman March in Washington.
11/25/97	6pm	1:20	Local/News	ABC7 News/Charles Thomas reported on the late Mayor Harold Washington's Impact on African American Politics.

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12/4/97	4:30pm	1:35	Local/News	ABC7 News/Leah Hope reported on another racial incident at Brother Rice High School.
12/5/97	4:30/6pm	3:03	Local/News	ABC7 News/Andy Shaw did a followup on the controversy surrounding the home videotape of the firefighters party.
12/16/97	10pm	4:28	Local/News	ABC7 News: A Question of Fairness, special segment/Paul Meincke reported about an FAA employee who has multiple schlerosis and believes she is the victim of discrimination by the federal agency.

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10/12/97	noon	22:46	PA	Sunday in Chicago w/Theresa Gutierrez Baby Santiago, an 18-month-old child from Mexico with a life-threatening brain condition appeared on the program with his mother, neurologist, and sponsors. As part of the Sister Cities Program with Mexico City, the baby was brought here for an operation that hopefully will save his life. The condition known as Cavernous Malformation, is one that is seen mainly in children of Hispanic descent yet the operation is rarely performed in Mexico.

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11/9/97	noon	22:46	PA	Sunday in Chicago w/Theresa Gutierrez A look at how music can help in the healing process. Plus, an interview with State Sen. Jesus Garcia, who represents Hispanics in the First Illinois Senatorial District, as he talks about the issues facing Latinos today, particularly in his district.

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CATEGORY: MINORITIES AND HEALTH ISSUES:
CAVERNOUS MALFORMATION + BREAST CANCER

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10/26/97	noon	22:46	PA	Sunday in Chicago w/Theresa Gutierrez An update on Baby Santiago brought from Mexico two weeks ago who needed brain surgery. Surgery is complete. He's doing fine, prognosis is very good. Plus a look at Breast Cancer awareness in the Hispanic Community.

MINORITIES/COMMUNITY SERVICES

Information was imparted about the 4th Annual Hispanic Women's conference.

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WLS-TV**CATEGORY:****Racial Issues / Minorities:****10th Anniversary of Mayor Harold Washington's Death**

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11/16/97	12Noon	22:46	Local/PA	Sunday in Chicago w/Vernon Jarrett Through videotape and personal testimony, the legacy of former Chicago Mayor Harold Washington (the City's first African-American chief executive) was reaffirmed by guests Alton Miller, former Press Secretary and Frank Price, former Security Officer...on the tenth anniversary of his death.

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11/30/97	12Noon	22:46	Local/PA	Sunday in Chicago w/Vernon Jarrett Still honoring former Chicago Mayor Harold Washington (the City's first African-American chief executive) near the day of the tenth anniversary of his death were young school students who re-enacted some of His Honor's most noteworthy speeches: Venson S. Curington II, 6th grader from the Beaubien Gifted Center, and Keyona Monice Jarrett, 8th grader at H.G. Solomon School. They were joined by Venson's mother Yvette R. Curington and Keyona's father William Jarrett, as well as the Rev. Arthur A. Brazier Jr., of the Afro-American Leadership Partnership.

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10/19/97	1:05-2:05am	1 hour	syndi/ent.	STORY OF A PEOPLE: WOLFE'S WORLD: GEORGE C. WOLFE'S THEATER OF INCLUSION/What director George C. Wolfe is doing to show people of all races that they are welcome in the theater.
10/26/97	12:30-1pm	30 min.	local/relig.	SANCTUARY/Im- migrant concerns and issues facing various ethnic groups living in Chicago.
11/2/97	12:30-1pm	30 min.	local/relig.	SANCTUARY/In a recent speech by Swiss Ambassador Alfred Defago in Skokie, Illinois, he spoke of the Swiss government's attempts to make amends for its behavior during and following World War II.
12/28/97	12:30-1pm	30 min.	local/relig.	SANCTUARY/In this annual Top 10 Stories of the Year in Religion, stories such as the Presbyterian Church's ban on the ordination of gays as well as tension between the branches of Judaism in Israel were discussed.

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12/21/97	11AM	22:46	Local/PA	<p>Sunday in Chicago w/Vernon Jarrett</p> <p>Vernon Jarrett's annual Holiday celebration show once again featured the sensational Kenwood Academy Concert Choir, (African-American) directed by Kenneth Lennon, which performed six beautiful songs. In-between spoke Paul Vallas, CEO of Chicago Public Schools on why the Kenwood Choir is a great example of the kind of talent the public schools can produce...and Emily Barr, President and General Manager appeared in the program to salute the choir, Chicago school kids and viewing families throughout greater Chicago.</p>

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12/21/97	8A	8 MIN	LOCAL/PA NEWS VIEWS	FIRE CMSR. EDWIN ALTMAN LISTS STEPS HE'S TAKEN AFTER 1990 FIREHOUSE VIDEO WAS MADE PUBLIC, SHOWING RACIST COMMENTS DURING A PARTY IN A FIRE STATION.

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10/19/97	12Noon	22:46	Local/PA	Sunday in Chicago w/Vernon Jarrett Three cultural figures from Chicago's African-American Community tackled the societal topic of "Young Black Professionals Living in the Suburbs." They were: Dr. Dana Kerry, author of the book "Bupp Stage VI"...Nora Blakely of Chocolate Chips Theater...and Jan Spivey-Gilchrist, Children's writer and Artist.

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11/2/97	12Noon	22:46	Local/PA	Sunday in Chicago w/Vernon Jarrett Treasured Chicago resource, the Dusable Museum was honored, as was its founder: Margaret Goss Burroughs, on the occasion of her 80th birthday. Joining Ms. Burroughs was Ramon Price, Dusable Museum Curator and Peggy Martinez, Dusable Board member. The Dusable Museum is the premier repository of African-American history and culture in Chicago.

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11/2/97	^{11:30am} Noon	30 mins	local/pa	Chicagoing w/Bill Campbell This program looked at the cultural and religious as- pects of the Mexican community's Day of the Dead commemoration.
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CATEGORY: STATE OF THE FAMILY**REGULAR ABC7 NEWS FEATURES**

MOTIVATIONAL MINUTE: 1-minute segment runs during the Sunday morning 8am show twice per month.

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10/16/97	4pm	1:00	Local/News	ABC7 News/Linda Yu reported on a University of Chicago study on families during the next three years which will attempt to focus on challenges, differing role models, and problems with 2 spouses working.
10/16/97	4:30PM	2:55	Local/News	ABC7 News/Dick Johnson at 4:30pm reported on a teenager in Chicago whose mother had kept her home from school for many years.
10/31/97	5pm	1:48	Local/News	ABC7 News/Kathy Brock reported on reaction to the au pair trial among child care providers and families.
11/19/97	4pm	3:00	Local/News	ABC7 News/Cheryl Burton reported on the importance of having a family support system for multiple birth families.

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10/29/97	10pm	3:20	Local/News	ABC7 News: Do It Yourself Divorce, special segment/Linda Yu reported on the growing trend and how it can be beneficial in some situations.
11/11/97	5pm	2:06	Local/News	ABC7 News/Harry Porterfield reported on Mike Mulqueen who works for the Greater Food Depository and helps get food to 50,000 needy people every day.
11/27/97	6pm	1:34	Local/News	ABC7 News/Paul Meincke reported on several instances where volunteers help the needy on Thanksgiving Day.
11/27/97	6pm	1:40	Local/News	ABC7 News/Charles Thomas reported on young children found wandering the West Side of Chicago with no parental supervision.
12/18/97	5pm	1:36	Local/News	ABC7 News/Harry Porterfield reported on a YMCA baby showers celebrating improved pre-natal care for young mothers.

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12/29/97	10pm	3:10	Local/News	ABC7 News/John Garcia, in a special segment, reported on how one family has gone back to the simple life, cutting costs and planning for the future.

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10/5/97	12:30-1pm	30 min.	local/relig.	SANCTUARY/Ways in which the Catholic Church is addressing the needs of those who are divorced or separated.
10/12/97	12:30-1pm	30 min.	local/relig.	SANCTUARY/The pro-life argument is discussed.

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DATE	TIME	LEN	TIMES RUN	SOURCE/TYPE	TITLE/DESCRIPTION
12/97	VARIOUS	:30	32	LOCAL/PSA	CHILDREN'S TELEVISION WORKSHOP / FORD MOTOR COMPANY PSA REMINDING PARENTS THAT SMALL CHILDREN NEED TO BE SAFELY STRAPPED INTO CAR SEATS AND SHOULD ALWAYS RIDE IN THE BACK SEAT FOR SAFETY.